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IN THE MATTER OF THE VERIFIED)
APPLICATION OF JOHNSON WESTERN)
UTILITY, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)
TERRITORIAL AUTHORITY TO RENDER)
SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVICE IN A RURAL)
AREA OF JOHNSON COUNTY, INDIANA,)
AND FOR APPROVAL OF ALL MATTERS)
ATTENDANT THERETO)

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CAUSE NO. 41543

You are hereby notified that the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has, on this date, caused the following Docket Entry to be made:

On September 12, 2003, Johnson Western Utility, LLC ("Petitioner") filed a Petition seeking an extension of one (1) year to complete the matters necessary prior to the commencement of its proposed wastewater treatment plant, and a minimum of 150 commitments for its proposed service. The Petition outlined the obstacles which had confronted the utility in reaching its goal. And, on September 25, 2003, Petitioner filed a Motion to Continue Certificate of Territorial Authority Pending Party Review.

The Petitioner declares that it is prepared to go forward with its zoning and planning measures before the Johnson County Zoning and Planning Commission, and has already paid for the appraisals of the real estate easements necessary for the project, but its plans have been stymied due to the closing of parts of Old State Road 37 by action of the Indiana State Highway Department resulting in the landlocking of the parcel of land over which Petitioner's system will travel.

Those persons whose lands will benefit from the proposed sewage disposal system continue to support Petitioner's planned project.

Copies of the Petition and the Motion identified above have been served on the parties to this Cause at the time of their filing with the Commission, and no objection has been made to the relief sought by Petitioner.

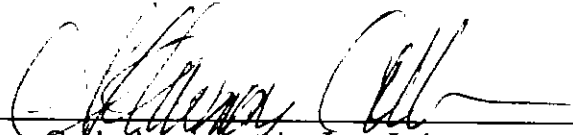
Petitioner's filings state it has been diligent in pursuit of the completion of its project, and that it has expended large sums of money in its efforts in this matter.

The record herein shows Petitioner's determination to bring the project to a successful conclusion, that no person or party has voiced objection to the one (1) year extension of the time in which Petitioner must show it has reached its goal of obtaining 150 Commitments from entities


seeking to avail themselves of the proposed sewage disposal service, and no objections to the extension of time have been voiced by any of the persons possessing parcels of land within the proposed service area.

For all the foregoing, the one (1) year extension of time sought by Petitioner to complete the requirements placed on it by the Commission in its original Order herein should be granted, and Petitioner is granted until October 6, 2004, to complete its pre-construction conditions. Petitioner is hereby ordered to file a report with the Commission on or before November 14, 2004.


IT IS SO ORDERED.



Thomas Cobb, Administrative Law Judge



Date



Nancy E. Manley
Secretary to the Commission